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[54]	SIMULTANEOUS VISION OPTICAL LENS
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[57] ABSTRACT

The proximity P of a simultaneous vision optical lens for correcting presbyopia is defined as the reciprocal of the distance D at which a light ray parallel to and at a distance h from its axis crosses the axis after passing through the lens. The curve representing the proximity P of the lens lies between a lower envelope curve P_{inf} and an upper envelope curve P_{sup} satisfying the following equations:

$$P_{inf} = f(h) = (\Sigma A'_i h^i) + P_{VL}$$

$$P_{sup} = f(h) = (\sum A''_i h^i) + P_{VL}$$

in which P_{VL} is the proximity for distant vision and A'_{i} , A''_{i} are numeric coefficients depending on the proximity addition added for near vision to the proximity for far vision. The lens may be implemented as a contact lens, an intra-ocular implant or an intra-corneal lens.

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